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BEET SUGAR FACTORIES

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by a large number of officials of sugar companies.

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BET SUGAR FACTORIES OF THE UNITED STATES1870

ALVARADO, CALIF. The first successful U. S. beet sugar factory. Erected by California Beet Sugar Mfg. Co. Machinery moved from Fond du lac, Wisc. Original capacity, 50 tons. Originally equipped with boneblack process and from outset made sugar for direct consumption. Dismantled in 1874; re-equipped in 1879; enlarged in 1884, 1889 and 1894; rebuilt in 1936. Equipped with Steffens process and pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,700 tons. Present owner, Holly Sugar Corporation.

1881

By the end of 1881, failure had overtaken all of the small beet sugar plants which had been erected in the United States, with the exception of the factory at Alvarado, Calif. These factories were located, for the periods indicated, as follows:

Northampton, Mass.	1838-41	Freeport, Ill.	1871-72
Salt Lake City, Utah	1853-55	Soquel, Calif.	1874-80
San Francisco, Calif.	1856-58	Portland, Maine	1876-81
Chatsworth, Ill.	1866-71	Isleton, Calif.	1877-80
Fond du lac, Wisc.	1866-70	Edgemoor, Del.	1877-79
Black Hawk, Wisc.	1870-75	Franklin, Mass.	1879-81
Brighton, Calif.	1871-79		

TOTAL: Erected, 14; Removed, 13; Existing, 1

1888

WATSONVILLE, CALIF. Erected by Western Beet Sugar Co. Capacity, 300 tons. Manufactured raw sugar only which was refined in San Francisco. Machinery moved to Spreckels, Calif. in 1899.

TOTAL: 15-13-2

1890

GRAND ISLAND, NEB. Erected by Oxnard Beet Sugar Co. Original capacity, 350 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,200 tons. Present owner, American Crystal Sugar Company.

TOTAL: 16-13-3

1891

CHINO, CALIF. Erected by Chino Valley Beet Sugar Co. Capacity, 400 tons. Machinery moved to East Grand Forks, Minn. for 1926 campaign.

LEHI, UTAH. Erected by Utah Sugar Co. Capacity, 300 tons. For many years operated auxiliary slicing stations at Springville, Bingham and Provo. Dismantled in 1937.

NORFOLK, NEB. Erected by Norfolk Beet Sugar Company. Capacity, 350 tons. Machinery moved to Lamar, Colo. in 1905.

TOTAL: 19-13-6

1892

STAUNTON, VA. O. K. Lapham of New York City installed beet sugar machinery in some tannery buildings. Burned, 1894.

TOTAL: 20-13-7

1894

REMOVED: Staunton, Va.

TOTAL: 20-14-6

1896

EDDY (CARLSBAD), NEW MEXICO. Erected by Pecos Valley Beet Sugar Co. Capacity, 200 tons. Burned, 1905.

TOTAL: 21-14-7

1897

LOS ALAMITOS, CALIF. Erected by Los Alamitos Sugar Company. Capacity, 350 tons. Dismantled in 1926.

ROME, NEW YORK. Erected by First New York Beet Sugar Co. Moved from West Farnham, Quebec. Capacity, 200 tons. Machinery moved to Visalia, Calif. in 1906.

MENOMONEE FALLS, WISC. Erected by Wisconsin Sugar Co. Capacity, 500 tons. Dismantled in 1932.

TOTAL: 24-14-10

1898

CROCKETT, CALIF. Erected by California Beet Sugar & Refining Co. Capacity, 500 tons. Beet machinery moved to Corcoran, Calif. in 1908.

OXFORD, CALIF. Erected by Pacific Beet Sugar Co. Original capacity, 2,000 tons. Equipped with Steffens process, fire pulp dryer and potash recovery. Present capacity, 3,000 tons. Present owner, American Crystal Sugar Co.

BAY CITY, MICH. Erected by Michigan Sugar Co. Capacity, 500 tons. Machinery moved to Waverly, Iowa in 1907.

ST. LOUIS PARK, MINN. Erected by Minnesota Sugar Co. Capacity, 350 tons. Burned, 1905. Salvaged machinery moved to Visalia, Calif. in 1906.

BINGHAMTON, NEW YORK. Erected by Binghamton Beet Sugar Co. Capacity, 350 tons. Machinery moved to Blackfoot, Idaho in 1904.

LA GRANDE, OREG. Erected by Oregon Sugar Co. Capacity, 350 tons. Machinery moved to Burley, Idaho in 1912.

OGDEN, UTAH. Erected by Ogden Sugar Co. Capacity, 350 tons. Machinery moved to Nampa, Idaho in 1942.

TOTAL: 31-14-17



1899

BETTERAVIA, CALIF. Erected by Union Sugar Co. Original capacity, 500 tons. Equipped with Steffens process. Present capacity, 2,500 tons. Present owner, Union Sugar Company.

SPRECKELS, CALIF. Erected by Spreckels Sugar Co. Original capacity, 3,000 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 5,300 tons. Present owner, Spreckels Sugar Co.

GRAND JUNCTION, COLO. Erected by Colo. Sugar Mfg. Co. Capacity, 350 tons. Dismantled in 1943.

PEKIN, ILL. Erected by Illinois Sugar Refining Co. Capacity, 700 tons. After operating one year converted into glucose factory.

ALMA, MICH. Erected by Alma Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,600 tons. Present owner, Michigan Sugar Co.

BAY CITY, MICH. Erected by Bay City Sugar Co. Capacity, 600 tons. Dismantled in 1941.

BELTON HARBOR, MICH. Erected by Wolverine Sugar Co. Capacity, 350 tons. Machinery moved to Hatcher, Ontario in 1902.

CARO, MICH. Erected by Peninsular Sugar Refining Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,400 tons. Present owner, Michigan Sugar Co.

HOLLAND, MICH. Erected by Holland Sugar Co. Original capacity, 350 tons. Equipped with steam pulp dryer. Present capacity, 750 tons. Present owner, Lake Shore Sugar Co.

KALAMAZOO, MICH. Erected by Kalamazoo Beet Sugar Co. Capacity, 500 tons. Machinery moved to Chippewa Falls, Wisc. in 1904.

ROCHESTER, MICH. Erected by Detroit Sugar Co. Capacity, 500 tons. Machinery moved to Madison, Wisc. in 1905.

WEST BAY CITY, MICH. Erected by West Bay City Sugar Co. Original capacity, 500 tons. Dismantled in 1943.

LEAVITT, NEB. Erected by Standard Beet Sugar Co. Capacity, 500 tons. Machinery moved to Scottsbluff, Neb. in 1910.

WILVERLY, UTAH. Erected by D. C. Corbin. Capacity, 350 tons. Machinery moved to Centerfield, Utah in 1918.

REMOVED: Watsonville, Calif.

TOTAL: 45-15-30

1900

ROCKY FORD, COLO. Erected by American Beet Sugar Co. Original capacity, 1,000 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and pulp dryer. Present capacity, 2,500 tons. Present owner, American Crystal Sugar Co.

SUGAR CITY, COLO. Erected by National Beet Sugar Co. Original capacity, 500 tons. Present capacity, 1,000 tons. Present owner, National Sugar Mfg. Co.

MARINE CITY, MICH. Erected by Marine Sugar Co. Capacity, 350 tons. Dismantled in 1928.

LYONS, NEW YORK. Erected by Empire State Sugar Co. Capacity, 600 tons. Machinery moved to Anaheim, Calif. in 1911.

FREMONT, OHIO. Erected by Continental Sugar Co. Original capacity, 350 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,100 tons. Present owner, Great Lakes Sugar Co.

REMOVED: Pekin, Ill.

TOTAL: 50-16-34

1901

LEVELAND, COLO. Erected by Great Western Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and potash recovery. Present capacity, 3,100 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

ELY CITY, (MILLZBURG), MICH. Erected by German-American Sugar Co. Original capacity, 400 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 2,200. Present owner, Monitor Sugar Division of Robert Gage Coal Company.

LANSING, MICH. Erected by Lansing Sugar Co. Original capacity, 800 tons. Equipped with pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,100 tons. Present owner, Michigan Sugar Co.

SAGINAW, MICH. Erected by Saginaw Sugar Co. Capacity, 600 tons. Machinery moved to Sterling, Colo. in 1905.

LOGAN, UTAH. Erected by Logan Sugar Co. Capacity, 350 tons. Dismantled in 1936.

TOTAL: 55-16-39

1902

EATON, COLO. Erected by Eaton Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Present capacity, 1,600 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

GRUBLEY, COLO. Erected by Grubley Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Present capacity, 1,600 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

CARROLLTON (SAGINAW), MICH. Erected by Saginaw Valley Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,500 tons. Present owner, Michigan Sugar Co.



CROSBY, MICH. Erected by Sanilac Sugar Refining Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,100 tons. Present owner, Michigan Sugar Co.

MT. CLEVELAND, MICH. Erected by Macomb Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Osmose process and steam pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,250 tons. Present owner, Franklin County Sugar Co.

SEBEWAING, MICH. Erected by Sebewaing Sugar Refining Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Osmose process and fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,400 tons. Present owner, Michigan Sugar Co.

REMOVED: Benton Harbor, Mich.

TOTAL: 61-17-44

1903

FT. COLLINS, COLO. Erected by Fort Collins Sugar Co. Original capacity, 1,200 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and potash recovery. Present capacity, 3,100 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

LORMONT, COLO. Erected by Lormont Sugar Co. in 1903. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and potash recovery. Present capacity, 3,100 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

WINDSOR, COLO. Erected by Windsor Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Present capacity, 1,600 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

IDAHO FALLS, IDAHO. Erected by Idaho Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process. Present capacity, 1,700 tons. Present owner, Utah-Idaho Sugar Co.

EAST TULSA, MICH. Erected by Tawas Sugar Co. Capacity, 600 tons. Machinery moved to Chaska, Minn. in 1906.

WENOMINEE, MICH. Erected by Wenominee River Sugar Co. Original capacity, 1,000 tons. Equipped with steam pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,300 tons. Present owner, Superior Sugar Refining Co.

OWOSSO, MICH. Erected by Owosso Sugar Co. Original capacity, 1,000 tons. Equipped with steam pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,600 tons. Present owner, Michigan Sugar Co.

ST. LOUIS, MICH. Erected by St. Louis Sugar Co. Original capacity, 500 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and steam pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,100 tons. Present owner, Lake Shore Sugar Co.

CARLAND, UTAH. Erected by Utah Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process. Present capacity, 1,700 tons. Present owner, Utah-Idaho Sugar Co.

REMOVED: Eddy, New Mexico

TOTAL: 70-18-52

1904

BLACKFOOT, IDAHO. Erected by Snake River Valley Sugar Co. Machinery moved from Binghamton, N. Y. Original capacity, 600 tons. Present capacity, 1,300 tons. Present owner, Utah-Idaho Sugar Co.

SUGAR CITY, IDAHO. Erected by Fremont County Sugar Co. Original capacity, 700 tons. Equipped with Steffens process. Present capacity, 1,700 tons. Present owner, Utah-Idaho Sugar Co.

CHIPPewa FALLS, WISC. Erected by Chippewa Sugar Refining Co. Machinery moved from Kalamazoo, Mich. Dismantled in 1934.

JANESVILLE, WISC. Erected by Rock County Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at Dresden, Ontario in 1902. Capacity, 600 tons. Moved to Canada in 1941.

REMOVED: Binghamton, N. Y.; Kalamazoo, Mich.

TOTAL: 74-20-54

1905

GLENDALE, ARIZ. Erected by Eastern Sugar Co. Capacity, 800 tons. Operated on beets until 1913; thereafter ground cane until moved to Delta, Colo. in 1920.

HAMILTON CITY, CALIF. Erected by Alta California Beet Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Present capacity, 1,400 tons. Present owner, Holly Sugar Corp.

HOLLY, COLO. Erected by Holly Sugar Co. Capacity, 600 tons. Machinery moved to Sheridan, Wyo. in 1915.

LEMAR, COLO. Erected by American Beet Sugar Co. Machinery moved from Norfolk, Neb. Dismantled in 1927.

STERLING, COLO. Erected by Sterling Sugar Co. Machinery moved from Saginaw, Mich. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process. Present capacity, 1,600 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

RIVERDALE, ILL. Erected by Charles Pope. Operated in 1926, dismantled later, possibly 1927.

BLISFIELD, MICH. Erected by Continental Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,500 tons. Present owner, Great Lakes Sugar Co.

LEWISTON, UTAH. Erected by Lewiston Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process. Present capacity, 1,650 tons. Present owner, Amalgamated Sugar Co.

MADISON, WISC. Erected by United States Sugar Co. Machinery moved from Rochester, Mich. Capacity, 600 tons. Closed and dismantled in 1924.

REMOVED: Norfolk, Neb.; Rochester, Mich.; Saginaw, Mich.

TOTAL: 83-23-60

1906

VISALIA, CALIF. Erected by Pacific Sugar Corp. Machinery moved from Rome, New York, and St. Louis Park, Minn. Capacity, 350 tons. Machinery moved to Hooper, Utah in 1919.

BRUSH, COLO. Erected by Morgan County Construction Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Present capacity, 1,600 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

FT. MORGAN, COLO. Erected by Morgan County Construction Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process. Present capacity, 1,600 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

STINK, COLO. Erected by Holly Sugar Co. Original capacity, 1,200 tons. Equipped with Steffens process. Present capacity, 2,200 tons. Present owner, Holly Sugar Corp.

EMPA, IDAHO. Erected by Western Idaho Sugar Co. Capacity, 750 tons. Machinery moved to Spanish Fork, Utah in 1916.

GARDEN CITY, KANS. Erected by U. S. Sugar and Land Co. Original capacity, 1,000 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and steam pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,200 tons. Present owner, Garden City Co.

CHARLEVOIX, MICH. Erected by West Michigan Sugar Co. Capacity, 600 tons. Machinery moved to Ottawa, Ohio in 1912.

CHASKA, MINN. Erected by Carver County Sugar Co. Machinery moved from East Tawas, Mich. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,700 tons. Present owner, American Crystal Sugar Co.

BILLINGS, MONT. Erected by Billings Sugar Co. Original capacity, 1,200 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and pulp dryer. Present capacity, 3,500 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

REMOVED: Rome, N. Y.; St. Louis Park, Minn.; East Tawas, Mich.

TOTAL: 92-26-66

1907

LAS ANIMAS, COLO. Erected by American Beet Sugar Co. Capacity, 700 tons. Dismantled in 1942.

HAVERLY, IOWA. Erected by Iowa Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at Bay City, Mich. in 1898. Original capacity, 400 tons. Equipped with fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 700 tons. Present owner, Haverly Sugar Co.

REMOVED: Bay City, Mich.

TOTAL: 94-27-67

1908

CORCORAN, CALIF. Erected by Pacific Sugar Corp. Machinery originally erected at Crockett, Calif. Capacity, 600 tons. Machinery moved to Preston, Idaho in 1922.



SANTA ANA (NEW DELHI), CALIF. Erected by Southern California Sugar Co. Machinery moved from Wiarton, Canada. Capacity, 600 tons. Dismantled in 1924.

REMOVED: Crockett, Calif.

TOTAL: 96-28-68

1910

SCOTTSBLUFF, NEB. Erected by Scottsbluff Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at Leavitt, Neb. in 1899. Original capacity, 1,200 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and potash recovery. Present capacity, 2,900 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

PAULDING, OHIO. Erected by German-American Sugar Co. Original capacity, 700 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and steam pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,200 tons. Present owner, Paulding Sugar Co.

REMOVED: Leavitt, Neb.

TOTAL: 98-29-69

1911

ANAHEIM, CALIF. Erected by Anaheim Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at Lyons, N. Y. Capacity, 600 tons. Machinery moved to Sidney, Mont. in 1925.

HUITION BEACH, CALIF. Erected by Holly Sugar Co. Capacity, 750 tons. Machinery moved to Torrington, Wyo. in 1926.

MONTA VISTA, COLO. Erected by San Luis Valley Beet Sugar Co. Capacity, 600 tons. Machinery moved to Lovell, Wyo. in 1916.

FINDLAY, OHIO. Erected by Continental Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with steam pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,250 tons. Present owner, Great Lakes Sugar Co.

FALLON, NEV. Erected by Nevada Sugar Co. Capacity, 500 tons. Dismantled in 1933.

ELSINORE, UTAH. Erected by Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. Dismantled in 1942.

REMOVED: Lyons, N. Y.

TOTAL: 104-30-74

1912

DYER, CALIF. Erected by Santa Ana Cooperative Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,500 tons. Present owner, Holly Sugar Corp.

BURLEY, IDAHO. Erected by Amalgamated Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at La Grande, Oreg. in 1898. Original capacity, 400 tons. Present capacity, 1,275 tons. Present owner, Amalgamated Sugar Co.

DECATUR, IND. Erected by Holland-St. Louis Sugar Co. Capacity, 700 tons. Dismantled in 1944.

OTTAWA, OHIO. Erected by Ohio Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at Charlevoix, Mich. in 1906. Machinery remodeled in 1917. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,000 tons. Present owner, Buckeye Sugar Co.

TOLEDO, OHIO. Erected by Toledo Sugar Co. Capacity, 1,000 tons. Dismantled in 1941.

REMOVED: La Grande, Oreg.; Charlevoix, Mich.

TOTAL: 109-32-77

1913

PLAIN, UTAH. Erected by Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. Capacity, 500 tons. Dismantled in 1940.

TOTAL: 110-32-78

1915

LAYTON, UTAH. Erected by Layton Sugar Co. Original capacity, 500 tons. Present capacity, 1,100 tons. Present owner, Layton Sugar Co.

SHERIDAN, WYO. Erected by Holly Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at Holly, Colo. in 1905. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,250. Present owner, Holly Sugar Corp.

REMOVED: Holly, Colo.

TOTAL: 112-33-79

1916

RUPERT, IDAHO. Erected by Amalgamated Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Present capacity, 1,475. Present owner, Amalgamated Sugar Co.

GERING, NEB. Erected by Great Western Sugar Co. Original capacity, 1,200 tons. Present capacity, 1,700 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and fire pulp dryer. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

GRANTS PASS, ORE. Erected by Oregon-Utah Sugar Co. Capacity, 500 tons. Machinery moved to Toppenish, Wash. in 1919.

BRIGHAM CITY, UTAH. Erected by Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. Capacity, 500 tons. Dismantled in 1941.

SPANISH FURN, UTAH. Erected by Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at Pampa, Idaho in 1906. Original capacity, 750 tons. Equipped with Steffens process. Present capacity, 1,700 tons. Present owner, Utah-Idaho Sugar Co.

WEST JORDAN, UTAH. Erected by Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. Original capacity, 500 tons. Equipped with fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,200 tons. Present owner, Utah-Idaho Sugar Co.

LOVELL, WYO. Erected by Great Western Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at Monte Vista, Colo. in 1911. Original capacity, 600 tons. Present capacity, 1,400 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

REMOVED: Nampa, Idaho; Monta Vista, Colo.  
TOTAL: 119-35-84

1917

MANTECA, CALIF. Erected by Spreckels Sugar Co. Original capacity, 1,200 tons. Present capacity, 1,875. Present owner, Spreckels Sugar Co.

TRACY, CALIF. Erected by Pacific Sugar Corp. Original capacity, 500 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,600 tons. Present owner, Holly Sugar Corp.

BRIGHTON, COLO. Erected by Great Western Sugar Co. Original capacity, 1,300 tons. Equipped with fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,800 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

SHELLEY, IDAHO. Erected by Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. Original capacity, 750 tons. Equipped with fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,200 tons. Present owner, Utah-Idaho Sugar Co.

TWIN FALLS, IDAHO. Erected by Amalgamated Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process. Present capacity, 1,900 tons. Present owner, Amalgamated Sugar Co.

MASON CITY, IOWA. Erected by Northern Sugar Corp. Original capacity, 1,200 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,800 tons. Present owner, American Crystal Sugar Co.

MISSOULA, MONT. Erected by Great Western Sugar Co. Capacity, 1,000 tons. Machinery moved to Mitchell, Neb. in 1920.

BAYARD, NEB. Erected by Great Western Sugar Co. Original capacity, 1,300 tons. Equipped with fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,800 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

CORNISH, UTAH. Erected by West Cache Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at Raymond, Alberta in 1903. Moved to Missoula, Mont. in 1927.

DELTA, UTAH. Erected by Great Basin Sugar Co. Capacity, 1,000 tons. Machinery moved to Belle Fourche, South Dakota in 1927.

MORONI, UTAH. Erected by Peoples Sugar Co. Capacity, 400 tons. Machinery moved to Toppenish, Wash. in 1937.

SMITHFIELD, UTAH. Erected by Amalgamated Sugar Co. Capacity, 700 tons. Machinery moved to Clarksburg, Calif. in 1935.

YAKIMA, WASH. Erected by Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. Machinery moved to Chinook, Mont. in 1925.

WORLAND, WYO. Erected by Wyoming Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process. Present capacity, 1,250 tons. Present owner, Holly Sugar Corp.

TOTAL: 133-35-98



1918

WHITEHALL, MONT. Erected by Amalgamated Sugar Co. Capacity, 600 tons. Never operated. Dismantled in 1920.

CENTERFIELD, UTAH. Erected by Gunnison Valley Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at Waverly, Wash. in 1899. Original capacity, 500 tons. Equipped with Osmose process. Present capacity, 1,000 tons. Present owner, Gunnison Sugar, Inc.

SPRINGVILLE, UTAH. Erected by Springville-Mapleton Sugar Co. Capacity, 350 tons. Dismantled in 1940.

REMOVED: Waverly, Wash.

TOTAL: 136-36-100

1919

RIGBY, IDAHO. Erected by Beet Growers Sugar Co. Capacity, 800 tons. Dismantled in 1939.

HOOPER, UTAH. Erected by Hooper Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected in France; moved to West Farnham, Quebec; moved to Rome, N. Y. in 1897 and to Visalia, Calif. in 1906. Capacity, 600 tons. Dismantled in 1936.

SUNNYSIDE, WASH. Erected by Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. Capacity, 750 tons. Dismantled in 1925 and re-erected at Raymond, Alberta.

TOPPENISH, WASH. Erected by Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at Grants Pass, Oregon in 1916. Machinery moved to Bellingham, Wash. in 1925.

REMOVED: Visalia, Calif.; Grants Pass, Oreg.

TOTAL: 140-38-102

1920

DELTA, COLO. Erected by Holly Sugar Corp. Machinery originally erected at Glendale, Ariz. in 1905. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with Steffens process. Present capacity, 1,250 tons. Present owner, Holly Sugar Corp.

FORT LUPTON, COLO. Erected by Industrial Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Present capacity, 1,200 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

BELMONT, IOWA. Erected by Iowa Valley Sugar Co. Capacity, 600 tons. Equipment moved to other plants during period of 1933-42. Buildings sold for other use in 1942.

MT. PLEASANT, MICH. Erected by Columbia Sugar Co. Original capacity, 1,200 tons. Equipped with fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,450 tons. Present owner, Isabella Sugar Co.

MITCHELL, NEB. Erected by Great Western Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at Missoula, Mont. in 1917. Equipped with fire pulp dryer. Present capacity, 1,800 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

GREEN BAY, WISC. Erected by Green Bay Sugar Co. Original capacity, 600 tons. Equipped with pulp dryer. Present capacity, 900 tons. Present owner, Merominee Sugar Co.

REMOVED: Glendale, Ariz.; Missoula, Mont.; Whitehall, Mont.

TOTAL: 146-41-105

1922

PRESTON, IDAHO. Erected by Preston Sugar Co. Machinery originally erected at Crockett, Calif. in 1898, moved to Corcoran, Calif. in 1908. Present capacity, 1,500 tons. Present owner, Franklin County Sugar Co.

REMOVED: Corcoran, Calif.

TOTAL: 147-42-105

1924

REMOVED: Madison, Wisc.; Santa Ana, Calif.

TOTAL: 147-44-103

1925

CHINOOK, MONT. Erected by Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. Machinery moved from Yakima, Wash. Capacity, 1,350 tons. Present owner, Utah-Idaho Sugar Co.

SEDNEY, MONT. Erected by Holly Sugar Corp. Machinery moved from Anaheim, Calif. Capacity, 1,800 tons. Present owner, Holly Sugar Corp.

BELLINGHAM, WASH. Erected by Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. Machinery moved from Toppenish, Wash. Capacity, 1,150 tons. Moved to South America in 1941.

REMOVED: Anaheim, Calif.; Yakima, Wash.; Sunnyside, Wash.; Toppenish, Wash.

TOTAL: 150-48-102

1926

JOHNSTOWN, COLO. Erected by Great Western Sugar Co. A special plant for the extraction of sugar from sugar beet molasses. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

OVID, COLO. Erected by the Great Western Sugar Co. Equipped with Steffens process and pulp dryer. Capacity, 1,900 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

EAST GRAND FORKS, MINN. Erected by American Beet Sugar Co. Machinery moved from Chino, Calif. Equipped with pulp dryer. Capacity, 2,000 tons. Present owner, American Crystal Sugar Co.

MINATARE, NEB. Erected by Great Western Sugar Co. Equipped with fire pulp dryer. Capacity, 1,800 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

TORRINGTON, WYO. Erected by Holly Sugar Corp. Machinery moved from Huntington Beach, Calif. Equipped with Steffens process. Capacity, 3,000 tons. Present owner, Holly Sugar Corp.

REMOVED: Chino, Calif.; Los Alamitos, Calif.; Huntington Beach, Calif.  
TOTAL: 155-51-104

1927

MISSOULA, MONT. Erected by Amalgamated Sugar Co. Machinery moved from Cornish, Utah. Equipped with pulp dryer. Capacity, 1,400 tons. Present owner, American Crystal Sugar Co.

LYMAN, NEB. Erected by the Great Western Sugar Co. Capacity, 1,900 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.

BELLE FOURCHE, SOUTH DAKOTA. Erected by Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. Machinery moved from Delta, Utah. Capacity, 1,700 tons. Present owner, Utah-Idaho Sugar Co.

REMOVED: Lamar, Colo.; Riverdale, Ill.; Delta, Utah; Cornish, Utah  
TOTAL: 158-55-103

1928

REMOVED: Marine City, Mich.  
TOTAL: 158-56-102

1930

WHEATLAND, WYO. Erected by Great Western Sugar Co. Capacity, 1,500 tons. Present owner, Great Western Sugar Co.  
TOTAL: 159-56-103

1932

REMOVED: Menomonee Falls, Wisc.  
TOTAL: 159-57-102

1933

REMOVED: Fallon, Nev.  
TOTAL: 159-58-101

1934

REMOVED: Chippewa Falls, Wisc.  
TOTAL: 159-59-100

1935

CLARKSBURG, CALIF. Erected by Amalgamated Sugar Co. Machinery moved from Smithfield, Utah. Capacity, 2,000 tons. Present owner, American Crystal Sugar Co.

REMOVED: Smithfield, Utah  
TOTAL: 160-60-100

1936

REMOVED: Logan, Utah; Hooper, Utah  
TOTAL: 160-62-98

1937

WOODLAND, CALIF. Erected by Spreckels Sugar Co. Capacity, 2,350 tons. Equipped with Steffens process. Present owner, Spreckels Sugar Co.

HARDIN, MONT. Erected by Holly Sugar Corp. Capacity, 1,700 tons. Present owner, Holly Sugar Corp.

TOPPENISH, WASH. Erected by Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. Machinery moved from Moroni, Utah. Capacity, 1,800 tons. Equipped with pulp dryer. Present owner, Utah-Idaho Sugar Co.

REMOVED: Lehi, Utah; Moroni, Utah  
TOTAL: 163-64-99

1938

NYSSA, OREG. Erected by Amalgamated Sugar Co. Capacity, 2,300 tons. Equipped with Steffens process and pulp dryer. Present owner, Amalgamated Sugar Co.

TOTAL: 164-64-100

1939

REMOVED: Rigby, Idaho  
TOTAL: 164-65-99

1940

REMOVED: Payson, Utah; Springville, Utah  
TOTAL: 164-67-97

1941

REMOVED: Bay City, Mich.; Janesville, Wisc. Toledo, Ohio; Brigham City, Utah; Bellingham, Wash.  
TOTAL: 164-72-92

1942

MMPIA, IDAHO. Erected by the Amalgamated Sugar Co. Machinery moved from Ogden, Utah. Capacity, 2,000 tons. Present owner, Amalgamated Sugar Co.

REMOVED: Ogden, Utah; Las Animas, Colo.; Elsinore, Utah; Belmond, Iowa  
TOTAL: 165-76-89

1943

REMOVED: Grand Junction, Colo.; West Bay City, Mich.  
TOTAL: 165-78-87

1944

REMOVED: Decatur, Indiana  
TOTAL: Erected, 165; Removed, 79; Existing, 86



BET SUGAR FACTORIES OF THE UNITED STATES

Erected and Removed Prior to January 1945

<u>Year</u> <u>Erected</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Year</u> <u>Removed</u>	<u>Year</u> <u>Erected</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Year</u> <u>Removed</u>
1838	Northampton, Mass.	1841	1903	East Tawas, Mich.	1906
1853	Salt Lake City, Utah	1855	1904	Chippewa Falls, Wisc.	1934
1856	San Francisco, Calif.	1858		Janesville, Wisc.	1941
1866	Chatsworth, Ill.	1871	1905	Glendale, Ariz.	1920
	Pond du lac, Wisc.	1870		Lamar, Colo.	1927
1870	Black Hawk, Wisc.	1875		Holly, Colo.	1915
1871	Brighton, Calif.	1879		Riverdale, Ill.	1927
	Freeport, Ill.	1872		Madison, Wisc.	1924
1874	Soquel, Calif.	1880	1906	Visalia, Calif.	1919
1876	Portland, Maine	1881		Nampa, Idaho	1916
1877	Isleton, Calif.	1880		Charlevoix, Mich.	1912
	Edgemoor, Del.	1879	1907	Las Animas, Colo.	1942
1879	Franklin, Mass.	1881	1908	Corcoran, Calif.	1922
1888	Watsonville, Calif.	1899		Santa Ana, Calif.	1924
1891	Chino, Calif.	1926	1911	Anaheim, Calif.	1925
	Norfolk, Neb.	1905		Huntington Beach, Calif.	1926
	Lehi, Utah	1937		Monte Vista, Colo.	1916
1892	Staunton, Va.	1894		Fallon, Nev.	1933
1896	Eddy, New Mex.	1903		Elsinore, Utah	1942
1897	Los Alamitos, Calif.	1926	1912	Decatur, Ind.	1944
	Rome, N. Y.	1906		Toledo, Ohio	1941
	Menomonee Falls, Wisc.	1932	1913	Payson, Utah	1940
1898	Crockett, Calif.	1908	1916	Grants Pass, Oreg.	1919
	Bay City, Mich.	1907		Brigham City, Utah	1941
	St. Louis Park, Minn.	1906	1917	Missoula, Mont.	1920
	Binghamton, N. Y.	1904		Cornish, Utah	1927
	La Grande, Oreg.	1912		Delta, Utah	1927
	Ogden, Utah	1942		Moroni, Utah	1937
1899	Grand Junction, Colo.	1943		Smithfield, Utah	1935
	Pekin, Ill.	1900		Yakima, Wash.	1925
	Bay City, Mich.	1941	1918	Whitehall, Mont.	1920
	Benton Harbor, Mich.	1902		Springville, Utah	1940
	Kalamazoo, Mich.	1904	1919	Rigby, Idaho	1939
	Rochester, Mich.	1905		Hooper, Utah	1936
	West Bay City, Mich.	1943		Sunnyside, Wash.	1925
	Leavitt, Neb.	1910		Toppenish, Wash.	1925
	Waverly, Wash.	1918	1920	Belmond, Iowa	1942
1900	Marine City, Mich.	1928	1925	Bellingham, Wash.	1941
	Lyons, N. Y.	1911			
1901	Saginaw, Mich.	1905			
	Logan, Utah	1936			

BETTER SUGAR FACTORIES OF THE UNITED STATES

Existing in January, 1945

<u>Year</u> <u>Erected</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Year</u> <u>Erected</u>	<u>Location</u>
1870	Alvarado, Calif.	1911	Findlay, Ohio
1890	Grand Island, Neb.	1912	Dyer, Calif.
1898	Oxnard, Calif.		Burley, Idaho
1899	Betteravia, Calif.		Ottawa, Ohio
	Spreckels, Calif.	1915	Layton, Utah
	Alma, Mich.		Sheridan, Wyo.
	Caro, Mich.	1916	Rupert, Idaho
	Holland, Mich.		Gering, Neb.
1900	Rocky Ford, Colo.		Spanish Fork, Utah
	Sugar City, Colo.		West Jordan, Utah
	Fremont, Ohio		Lovell, Wyo.
1901	Loveland, Colo.	1917	Manteca, Calif.
	Bay City, Mich.		Tracy, Calif.
	Lansing, Mich.		Brighton, Colo.
1902	Eaton, Colo.		Shelley, Idaho
	Greeley, Colo.		Twin Falls, Idaho
	Carrollton (Saginaw), Mich.		Mason City, Iowa
	Croswell, Mich.		Bayard, Neb.
	Mt. Clemens, Mich.		Worland, Wyo.
	Sebewaing, Mich.	1918	Centerfield, Utah
1903	Ft. Collins, Colo.	1920	Delta, Colo.
	Longmont, Colo.		Ft. Lupton, Colo.
	Windsor, Colo.		Mt. Pleasant, Mich.
	Idaho Falls, Idaho		Mitchell, Neb.
	Menominee, Mich.		Green Bay, Wisc.
	Owosso, Mich.	1922	Preston, Idaho
	St. Louis, Mich.	1925	Chinook, Mont.
	Garland, Utah		Sidney, Mont.
1904	Blackfoot, Idaho	1926	Johnstown, Colo.
	Sugar City, Idaho		Ovid, Colo.
1905	Hamilton City, Calif.		East Grand Forks, Minn.
	Sterling, Colo.		Minatare, Neb.
	Blissfield, Mich.		Torrington, Wyo.
	Lewiston, Utah	1927	Missoula, Mont.
1906	Brush, Colo.		Lyman, Neb.
	Ft. Morgan, Colo.		Belle Fourche, S. Dak.
	Swink, Colo.	1930	Wheatland, Wyo.
	Garden City, Kans.	1935	Clarksburg, Calif.
	Chaska, Minn.	1937	Woodland, Calif.
	Billings, Mont.		Hardin, Mont.
1907	Waverly, Iowa		Toppenish, Wash.
1910	Scottsbluff, Neb.	1938	Nyssa, Oreg.
	Paulding, Ohio	1942	Nampa, Idaho